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My dear Mr Venkatachar,

I must first thank you for sending me the clippings of the Sunday Statesman newspaper article by Dr. Guha on Elephant Hunting. I read it with much interest. I still feel my rifle would be preferable to the poisoned arrow against a charging rogue elephant.

May I remind you, if it is at all necessary, about my request to you concerning my interesting myself in a few activities abroad, like the UNESCO or UNO, with reference to any interesting problems in their spheres. As you were good enough to promise to give me a helping hand, I am taking the liberty of reminding you. Things in Mysore and affairs in Mysore are moving in such a manner I cannot help feeling that I can be of no service here, except in a very indirect way: and as there is not much scope for intellectual debate or discussion, which I so long for and desire, I should be glad if you can help me with your counsel and advice.

If there is any writing work you think I could contribute for some types of papers or magazines, let me know. I shall send them on to you.

Please forgive my troubling you like this.

With kindest regards,

Yours sincerely,

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